St. Mary's - 323 Galilee M. E. Church Route 247 Hollywood, MD 20639

1889, 1912

Access: Public

Galilee M.E. Church is 86 feet from the South side of MD Route 247, halfway between Oakville and Loveville. It is approached by a dirt drive lined with magnificent old cedars. The building was erected in 1912, but a previous structure existed on this site. The cemetery on the east side of the grounds contains the remains of John Bennett who died in 1889. This cemetery also is the last resting place of the Reverend Wilson G. Brown and Civil War veteran J. E. Cully of Co. A, 9th United States Colored Infantry. This entire area is inhabited by blacks and this is the only church.

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

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DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

Md. Rt. 247, half-way between Oakville and Loveville. This structure was built in 1912. It is 26' across the front facade and is 42 ft. in depth. The entrance tower is 9' across and 5' in depth. There are three concrete steps to 6 panel double doors (oak) at the entrance. There are two 3-over-4 lancet windows 4' one in each side of the entrance tower (clear glass). The tower rises to an open belfry with a cradle bell. The belfry is topped with a short spire with a cross atop. There are 3 6-over-6 rectangular clear-glass windows in the east side of the building and 3 more in the west side. There are 2 lancet 3-over-4 clear-glass windows in the rear of the church. The building is gabled (North-South). It rests on a native stone foundation (sandstone) and is sided with clapboard.

8 SIGNIFICANCE

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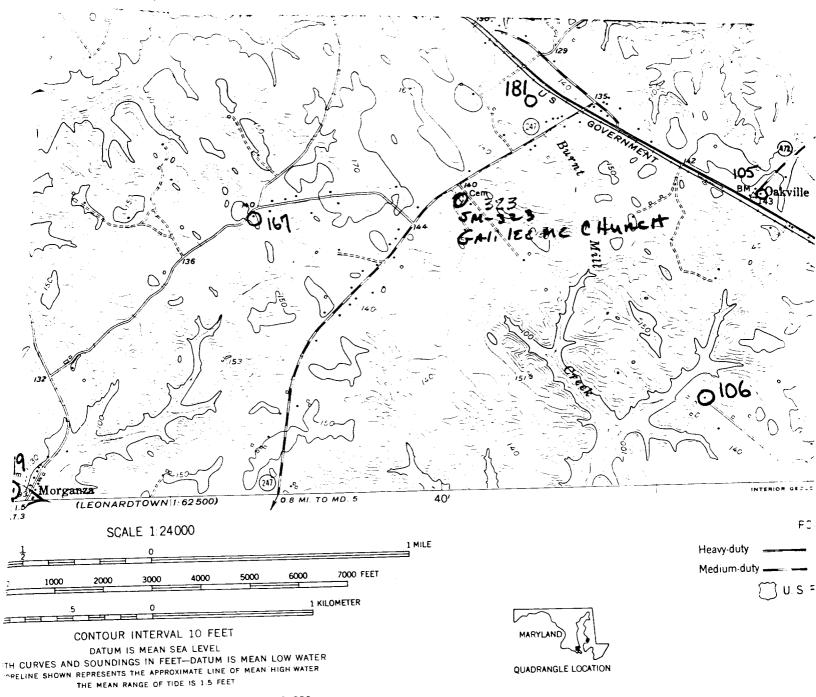
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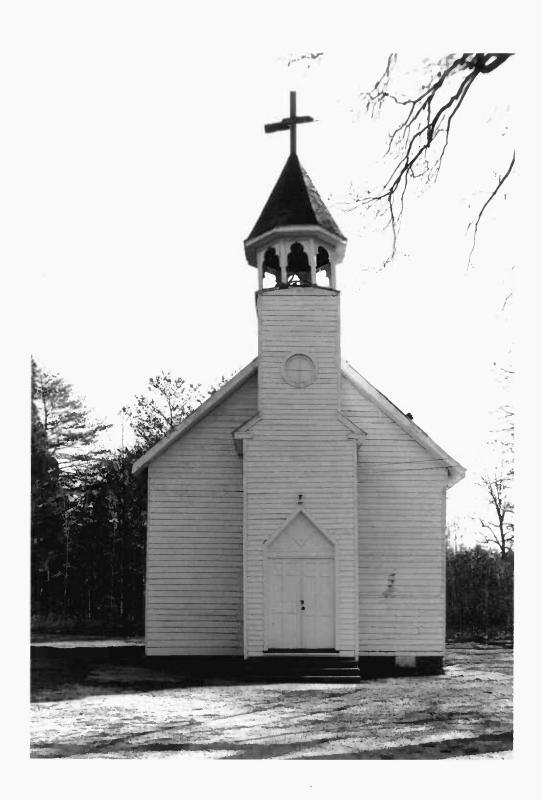
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